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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Application of:

Slade H. Gardner

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Serial No. 10/044,438

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Title: Carbon Layup Tape With  
Fugitive Binder and Method  
of Use

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Examiner: Stefan Staicovici

Art Unit: 1732

Confirmation No.: 8581

Attorney Docket No.: TA-00523

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Mail Stop AF  
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Sir:

In response to the Final Rejection dated October 3, 2005, please amend the application as

set forth below:

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